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October 27, 1999

CERTIFIED RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED
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Robert Knight, Trustee
Ibex Gold Mining Trust
1245 Brickyard Road, Suite 530
Salt Lake City, Utah 84106-2577

Re: Right of Entry for Mine Reclamation, Drum Mine Project, Jumbo Mining Company & Western States Mineral Corporation, M/027/007, Millard & Juab Counties, Utah

Dear Mr. Knight:

As you are aware, the Division of Oil Gas and Mining's Minerals Regulatory Program, using Western States Minerals Corporation (WSMC) as its construction contractor, is preparing to reclaim the unreclaimed Drum Mine located in Millard and Juab Counties, Utah (see attached map for locations). The purpose of this reclamation is to reduce the public health and safety hazards associated with this inactive mine. This project is funded by a portion of the Drum Mine reclamation bond that was forfeited when Jumbo Mining Company (JMC) declared bankruptcy.

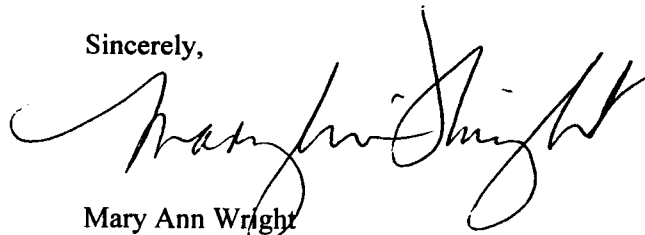
Ownership research shows that Ibex Gold Mining Trust (IGMT) is the owner of a small portion of the mine disturbance known as the Alto Pit. It is located in Juab County approximately two miles to the north of the main facilities area. Reclamation at the Alto Pit will consist of regrading the area to blend with the surrounding topography to the extent practicable. A portion of the high wall will remain, as removal of this feature will result in further disturbance. Construction related disturbance will be reseeded. It is my understanding that you represent, and are partial owner of IGMT. The Division requests IGMT's consent to allow WSMC to perform this reclamation.

Enclosed are two copies of a Right of Entry Agreement. The location of the Alto Pit is indicated on this agreement and is also shown on the enclosed map. If you concur with this proposal, please sign and date both copies. Please return one copy of the Agreement to me at the above address and keep the other copy for your records.

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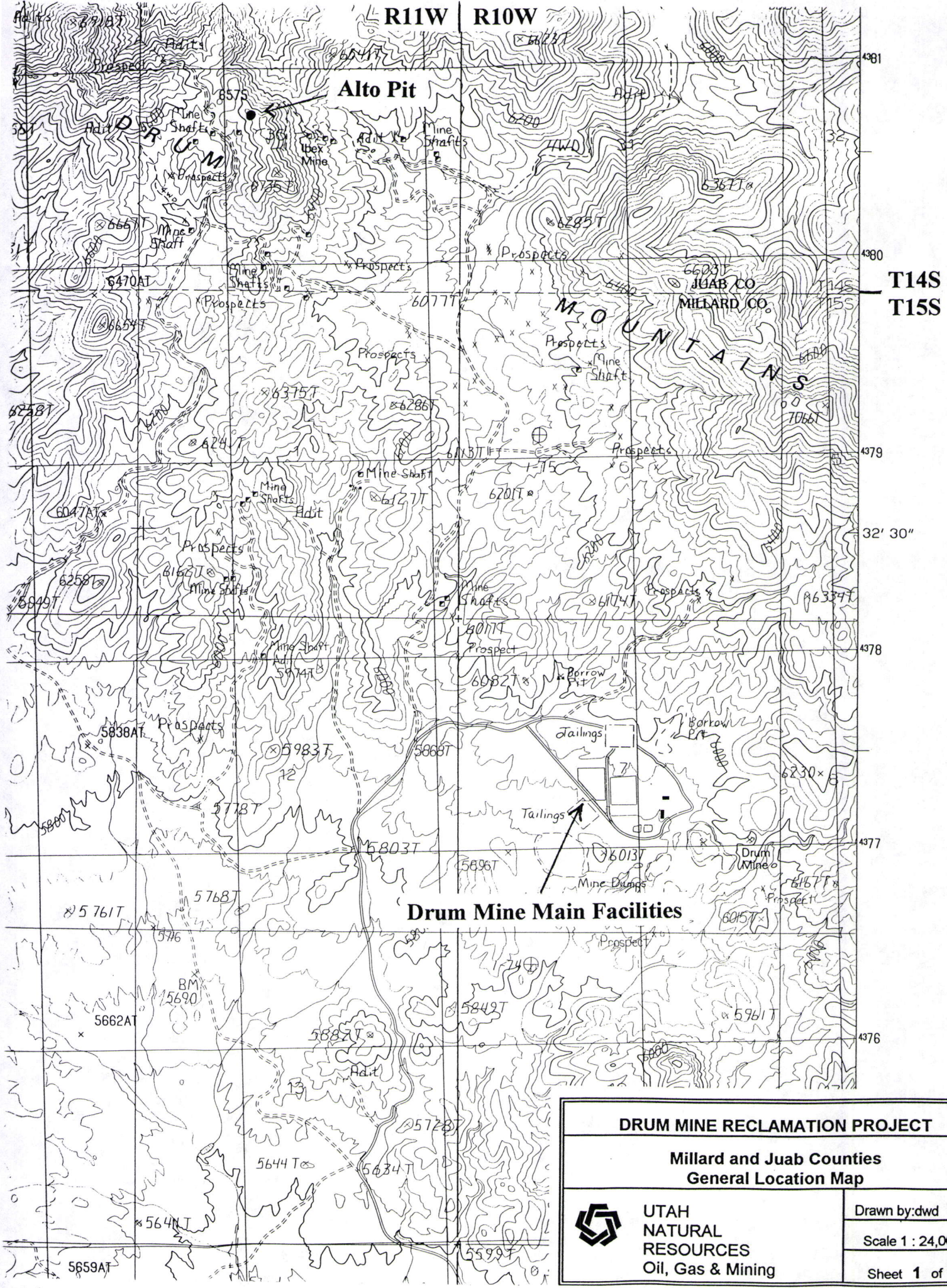
If you have any questions or concerns please feel free to call me at (801) 538-5306 or Wayne Hedberg, Permit Supervisor, of the Minerals Program at 538-5286. Thank you for your cooperation in this undertaking.


Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mary Ann Wright". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large, stylized "M" and "W".

Mary Ann Wright
Associate Director, Mining

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Enclosures
cc: Craig Carver, Alfors & Carver, LLC
John Carmody, WSMC
Buzz Gerick, WSMC
Rex Rowley, BLM
Terry Synder, BLM
Wayne Hedberg, DOGM
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DRUM MINE RECLAMATION PROJECT	
Millard and Juab Counties General Location Map	
	UTAH NATURAL RESOURCES Oil, Gas & Mining
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**INGRESS/EGRESS & RIGHT OF ENTRY CONSENT FOR
RECLAMATION ACTIVITIES**

by

IBEX GOLD MINING TRUST

I, the undersigned, Landowner, or as agent for the Landowner, do hereby consent to the following activities by the Department of Natural Resources, Utah Division of Oil, Gas & Mining, (Division) and its agents, employees or contractors:

1. Duly authorized employees, agents and/or contractors of the Division may enter upon the described land to perform reclamation activities to eliminate hazards created by past mining activities that affect the public's health, safety and general welfare on the abandoned "Alto" mine site. The site is located in Juab County, Utah, Township 14 South, Range 11 West, SLBM, which is more particularly described as follows:

<u>Claim Name</u>	<u>Mineral Survey #</u>	<u>Sec.</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Mine Feature</u>
South Ibex Extension	MS 5968	36	SE¼NW¼	Pit
Keystone	Lot 41	36	SE¼NW¼	Pit
Alto	Lot 40	36	SE¼NW¼	Pit

2. The proposed work consists of, but is not limited to, the following: regrading the area to blend with the surrounding topography to the extent practicable. A portion of the high wall will remain, as removal of this feature will result in further disturbance. Construction related disturbance will be reseeded where appropriate.

3. While performing construction, if the Division (or its agent/contractor) discovers additional sites or areas suitable to be reclaimed on Landowner's property, the Division may notify Landowner and obtain verbal consent to perform this additional reclamation.

4. The Division will hire contractors to carry out reclamation activities.

5. Except as herein set forth in this Right of Entry Consent, neither the Division nor the Landowner shall undertake any activity, either expressed or implied, nor make any representation which purports to bind the other.

6. Duly authorized personnel of the Division are granted permission to inspect reclamation work at reasonable times.

7. It is expressly understood that all costs incurred for studies and reclamation activities at this site shall be the sole liability of the Division.

8. All reclamation activity performed is pursuant to authority and funding under the Utah Mined Land Reclamation Act, UCA 40-8, et seq. (1953, as amended) and Utah Administrative Code R647-1 through 5 et seq. and does not constitute a warranty or guarantee to the Landowner relative to the protection of public health, safety, and general welfare or suitability of the premises for any specific use.

Dated this _____ day of _____, 1999

DIVISION OF OIL, GAS & MINING

IBEX GOLD MINING TRUST

I certify that I am a legal owner or agent for the legal owner(s) of the above-described property.

By: 

for Name: Lowell P. Braxton

Title: Director

By: _____

Name: Robert Knight

Title: Trustee